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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Takashi KOBAYASHI et al.
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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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July 9, 2004

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 10, 2004, the period for reply thereto being extended by one month by the attached Petition for Extension of Time to expire on July 10, 2004, reconsideration and withdrawal of the outstanding rejections and allowance of the present application are respectfully requested in view of the following amendments and remarks.

Amendments to the Specification are on page 2.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 3.

Remarks are included following the amendments.